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Senate Resolution 1495

By: Senator James of the 35th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Mr. Tony Bryant; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Mr. Tony Bryant has long been recognized by the citizens of this state for the
- 3 vital role that he has played in his community and his expertise and accomplishments in the
- 4 field of mortgage financing; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Mr. Bryant diligently and conscientiously devotes his time, talents, and energy
- 6 to Town Square Financial in College Park, Georgia, where he serves with distinction as
- 7 branch manager; and
- 8 WHEREAS, with over 22 years of banking experience in Georgia, Mr. Bryant has trained
- 9 numerous professionals in the mortgage and real estate industry, many of whom now own
- 10 their own mortgage and real estate companies; and
- 11 WHEREAS, Mr. Bryant worked for over 15 years as a lender and was at one time the largest
- 12 African American lender in the Southeast; and
- 13 WHEREAS, a believer and advocate for "Saving the American Dream of Homeownership,"
- 14 Mr. Bryant helps potential homeowners understand how credit scores affect the home buying
- 15 process and the health of the overall economy of this nation; and
- 16 WHEREAS, prior to his mortgage banking career, Mr. Bryant worked for Merrill Lynch and
- 17 Pearson-Smith stock brokerage firms; and
- 18 WHEREAS, a community leader, Mr. Bryant volunteers his time with the Atlanta Urban
- 19 League and is a member of the Empire Board of Realists, the Black Chamber of Commerce
- 20 of Atlanta, and Rainbow PUSH Coalition; and

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21 WHEREAS, his significant organizational and leadership talents, his remarkable patience

- 22 and diplomacy, his keen sense of vision, and his sensitivity to the needs of the citizens of
- 23 Georgia have earned him the respect and admiration of his colleagues and associates; and
- 24 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the extraordinary accomplishments of
- 25 this distinguished Georgian be appropriately recognized.
- 26 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
- 27 commend Mr. Tony Bryant for his amazing career and his many contributions to his
- 28 community and the State of Georgia.
- 29 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
- 30 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Mr. Tony Bryant.